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(Index)

Region, country, or economy	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
World	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	
North America	0.98	1.00	1.02	1.03	1.12	1.05	1.11	1.10	1.07	1.10	1.13	1.10	1.11	1.14	1.11	1.10	1.13	1.11	1.18
Canada	1.35	1.36	1.34	1.18	1.29	1.19	1.28	1.25	1.24	1.25	1.22	1.32	1.28	1.23	1.24	1.24	1.24	1.13	1.27
Greenland	ne																		
Mexico	2.08	1.78	1.79	1.95	1.63	1.56	1.51	1.49	1.50	1.50	1.65	1.39	1.56	1.41	1.27	1.32	1.33	1.44	1.42
United States	0.93	0.95	0.97	1.00	1.09	1.03	1.07	1.07	1.04	1.07	1.10	1.06	1.08	1.11	1.09	1.07	1.11	1.10	1.15
Central America and Caribbean	1.30	1.72	1.33	1.80	2.36	1.85	1.95	1.25	1.87	1.53	1.69	1.21	1.51	1.08	1.43	1.57	1.73	1.39	1.87
Antigua and Barbuda	ne	na	na	na	ne	na	ne	na	na	ne	ne	na	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	
Bahamas, The	ne																		
Barbados	ne																		
Belize	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	ne										
Costa Rica	ne	8.80	6.11	6.71	9.58	ne	8.71	ne	5.64	7.52	5.42	3.91	6.20	ne	3.61	4.76	4.22	2.64	3.57
Cuba	ne	1.06																	
Dominica	na	ne	na	ne	na	ne	ne	na	ne	na	ne	na	ne	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	
Dominican Republic	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	
El Salvador	na	ne																	
Grenada	na	na	ne	na	ne	ne	ne	ne											
Guatemala	ne	ne	na	ne															
Haiti	ne	na	ne	na	na	na	na	na	ne	na	ne								
Honduras	ne	na	na	ne	na	ne	na	ne											
Jamaica	ne																		
Nicaragua	ne																		
Panama	ne																		
Puerto Rico	ne	ne	ne	1.75	1.74	2.06	1.89	ne	1.82	1.84	1.85	1.57	ne	ne	1.69	1.90	2.01	ne	ne
Saint Kitts and Nevis	na	na	ne	na	ne	na	ne	na	na	ne	na	ne							
Saint Lucia	na	na	na	ne	na	na	na	na	na	na	ne	na	na	na	na	ne	ne	na	
Saint Vincent and the Grenadines	na	na	ne	na	na	na	na	ne	na	na	ne	na	na	ne	na	na	na	na	
Trinidad and Tobago	ne																		
South America	1.22	1.26	1.26	1.47	1.26	1.36	1.15	1.16	1.15	1.20	1.11	1.19	1.20	1.23	1.15	1.16	1.16	1.17	1.20
Argentina	1.76	1.90	2.03	2.13	2.38	2.72	2.29	2.47	2.80	2.92	2.70	2.65	2.87	2.62	2.25	2.80	2.40	2.56	2.64
Bolivia	ne																		
Brazil	0.79	0.75	0.82	1.18	0.80	0.88	0.71	0.77	0.71	0.77	0.69	0.82	0.79	0.95	0.88	0.86	0.93	0.94	0.98
Chile	2.11	2.44	1.82	1.99	2.15	2.02	2.19	2.14	1.94	1.95	2.06	1.93	2.11	1.65	1.76	1.69	1.47	1.58	1.55
Colombia	1.92	1.84	2.18	1.81	1.48	1.52	1.84	1.45	1.35	1.54	1.42	1.19	1.31	1.16	1.13	0.86	0.93	0.88	0.92
Ecuador	ne	1.39	0.99	0.85															
Guyana	ne	ne	ne	na	na	ne	ne	ne	na	na	na	na	ne	ne	na	ne	ne	ne	

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Paraguay	na	na	na	na	ne	ne	ne	na	ne										
Peru	ne	2.75	ne	ne	ne	1.61	1.40	1.27	ne	1.09	0.99								
Suriname	ne	ne	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	ne								
Uruguay	ne	1.89	2.31	1.68	1.64	2.13	1.60	2.03	1.52										
Venezuela	2.58	2.77	2.48	1.96	1.97	2.84	2.07	1.59	1.51	1.22	1.54	2.09	1.56	1.73	1.74	1.64	1.83	1.52	
Europe	1.12	1.06	1.09	1.07	1.02	1.10	1.09	1.07	1.13	1.14	1.18	1.14	1.15	1.09	1.09	1.11	1.10	1.09	
EU	1.02	1.00	1.02	1.02	0.95	1.03	1.01	1.00	1.05	1.06	1.09	1.06	1.08	1.00	1.01	1.02	1.02	0.99	
Austria	0.88	1.06	0.81	0.75	0.87	0.83	0.75	0.82	0.95	0.99	0.87	0.99	0.93	0.84	0.89	0.80	0.99	0.94	
Belgium	0.73	0.68	0.85	0.72	0.69	0.77	0.74	0.77	0.86	0.77	0.81	0.81	0.81	0.76	0.80	0.73	0.69	0.74	
Bulgaria	0.55	0.56	0.87	0.71	0.65	0.78	0.76	0.97	0.84	0.82	0.89	0.85	0.79	0.92	0.82	1.14	0.68	0.73	
Croatia	2.54	2.17	2.37	1.98	2.01	2.07	1.77	1.76	1.53	1.58	1.79	1.86	1.91	1.76	1.28	1.64	1.36	1.47	
Cyprus	na	ne																	
Czechia	1.10	0.92	1.04	1.15	1.02	0.83	0.89	0.80	0.87	0.96	0.89	0.76	0.90	0.84	0.94	0.83	0.89	0.87	
Denmark	1.33	1.37	1.50	1.44	1.10	1.22	1.30	1.20	1.21	1.28	1.26	1.09	1.16	1.02	0.93	0.96	0.91	0.96	
Estonia	3.42	3.34	3.29	3.15	3.52	2.46	3.29	3.30	3.28	2.89	3.14	2.83	2.64	2.29	2.69	1.79	1.95	1.83	
Finland	0.99	1.22	0.86	1.01	0.96	1.13	1.10	1.21	1.23	1.13	1.02	1.29	1.22	1.15	1.13	1.17	1.22	1.10	
France	1.11	1.16	1.09	1.15	1.09	1.18	1.17	1.16	1.16	1.20	1.25	1.24	1.20	1.20	1.18	1.18	1.21	1.30	
Germany	0.96	0.92	0.88	0.91	0.90	0.97	0.89	0.89	0.98	0.95	0.98	0.96	0.97	0.92	0.95	0.98	0.96	0.93	
Greece	1.14	0.91	1.00	0.96	0.82	0.98	0.83	0.82	0.78	0.80	0.87	0.87	0.93	0.89	0.92	0.90	0.96	0.92	
Hungary	0.72	0.74	0.92	0.98	1.04	1.06	1.02	0.99	1.08	1.35	1.37	1.36	1.24	0.96	1.01	1.19	1.16	1.06	
Ireland	1.16	1.13	1.05	0.93	0.85	0.76	0.88	0.83	0.74	0.83	0.69	0.68	0.83	0.71	0.73	0.64	0.78	0.66	
Italy	1.03	0.99	1.04	1.12	1.04	1.10	1.14	1.10	1.33	1.27	1.26	1.23	1.37	1.12	0.98	1.13	1.12	1.02	
Latvia	ne																		
Lithuania	2.30	1.72	1.32	1.09	1.74	1.40	1.26	1.31	0.62	0.81	0.75	1.08	0.83	0.73	0.85	0.78	0.81	0.67	
Luxembourg	ne																		
Malta	ne																		
Netherlands	0.99	0.97	1.00	1.03	0.85	0.94	0.88	0.96	0.90	0.97	0.91	0.86	0.92	0.83	0.91	0.93	0.85	0.85	
Poland	1.17	1.04	1.18	1.13	0.93	1.04	0.97	0.91	1.16	1.17	1.24	1.18	1.13	0.91	0.90	0.94	0.94	0.95	
Portugal	1.16	1.17	1.36	1.25	1.06	1.30	1.32	1.43	1.37	1.59	1.13	1.26	1.05	1.15	1.48	1.12	1.06	1.05	
Romania	0.41	0.43	0.41	0.49	0.34	0.49	0.36	0.31	0.26	0.26	0.29	0.45	0.42	0.49	0.48	0.48	0.51	0.50	
Slovakia	0.76	0.66	0.91	0.85	0.66	0.84	1.06	0.75	0.86	1.04	0.78	0.69	0.59	0.51	0.59	0.68	0.66	0.60	
Slovenia	ne	0.58	0.51	0.95	0.82	1.29	1.03	1.18	0.91	0.86	1.02	0.86	0.98	0.78	0.90	1.17	1.04	0.87	
Spain	0.90	0.93	0.97	0.90	0.77	0.94	0.97	0.87	0.96	0.91	0.99	1.04	1.01	1.00	1.04	1.01	1.02	0.99	
Sweden	0.74	0.81	0.79	0.77	0.82	0.83	0.83	0.85	0.97	0.96	0.94	0.91	0.91	0.89	0.83	0.87	0.92	0.87	
United Kingdom	1.11	1.04	1.11	1.07	0.98	1.08	1.07	1.08	1.05	1.12	1.23	1.10	1.18	1.11	1.15	1.13	1.11	1.16	
Other Europe	1.65	1.40	1.44	1.35	1.40	1.45	1.54	1.49	1.61	1.56	1.68	1.59	1.52	1.54	1.53	1.52	1.48	1.51	

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Albania	ne																		
Andorra	na	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	na	ne	ne	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	
Belarus	ne	1.34	ne	ne	0.99														
Bosnia and Herzegovina	ne																		
Holy See (Vatican City)	na	ne	ne	ne	na	na	na	na	na										
Iceland	ne	3.93	5.15	4.06	4.80	6.07	3.38	5.03	3.63	3.49	3.03	3.37	3.26	2.91	4.13	3.51	3.16	3.64	3.93
Kosovo	na	ne	ne	na	ne														
Liechtenstein	na	ne	na	na	ne	ne	na	na	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	ne	na	ne	
Moldova	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	ne												
Monaco	ne																		
Montenegro ^a	na	ne																	
North Macedonia	na	ne																	
Norway	2.61	2.41	3.00	2.41	2.55	2.68	2.24	2.61	2.65	2.97	2.80	2.80	2.68	2.83	2.68	2.63	2.91	2.76	2.75
Russia	2.19	1.77	1.85	1.84	1.99	2.08	2.52	2.37	2.60	2.52	2.92	2.59	2.54	2.60	2.45	2.23	2.10	1.94	1.89
San Marino	na	ne																	
Serbia ^a	na	0.36	0.35	0.27	0.41	0.35	0.36	0.35	0.41	0.55	0.48	0.50	0.59						
Serbia and Montenegro ^b	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	0.46	na											
Switzerland	0.98	0.98	0.95	1.01	1.01	1.01	1.14	1.02	1.24	1.21	1.10	1.22	1.15	1.09	1.08	1.17	1.13	1.16	1.24
Turkey	0.56	0.70	0.60	0.47	0.43	0.56	0.50	0.56	0.51	0.44	0.41	0.45	0.46	0.45	0.46	0.53	0.46	0.56	0.57
Ukraine	0.98	0.77	0.77	0.80	0.89	0.88	0.94	0.93	0.94	1.07	1.61	1.33	1.11	1.07	0.99	1.17	1.03	1.16	1.12
Middle East	0.66	0.69	0.62	0.64	0.59	0.73	0.66	0.69	0.62	0.81	0.69	0.67	0.78	0.84	0.85	0.91	0.80	0.79	0.68
Armenia	ne																		
Azerbaijan	ne	2.09	ne	ne	1.64	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	1.30								
Bahrain	ne																		
Gaza Strip	ne	na	ne	ne	na	ne	na	ne	ne	na	ne								
Georgia	ne																		
Iran	0.57	ne	ne	0.32	0.38	0.43	0.34	0.39	0.27	0.56	0.45	0.47	0.59	0.59	0.60	0.67	0.58	0.59	0.59
Iraq	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	ne	1.76	1.75	3.15	1.07	0.48	0.33							
Israel	0.60	0.59	0.55	0.50	0.53	0.52	0.68	0.56	0.62	0.63	0.59	0.55	0.52	0.53	0.66	0.60	0.65	0.60	0.68
Jordan	ne	0.80	ne	ne															
Kuwait	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	1.62	ne	2.11	1.33	3.11	ne	2.40	4.35	3.54	2.82	4.96	3.02	3.29	1.76
Lebanon	ne																		
Oman	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	3.08	ne	3.70	2.57	2.87	3.63	3.27	3.28	2.33	2.99	1.51	1.76	2.21	2.15
Qatar	ne	3.63	ne	ne	ne	1.76	ne	0.71	ne	ne	ne								
Saudi Arabia	0.79	1.34	1.12	1.24	1.13	1.52	1.38	1.55	1.58	1.86	1.46	1.33	1.37	1.87	1.54	1.50	1.38	1.55	1.07

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Mali	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	ne												
Mauritania	na	ne	ne	na	ne														
Mauritius	ne	na	ne																
Morocco	1.58	1.90	1.21	1.22	1.76	1.36	1.58	1.15	1.55	0.94	0.87	0.68	0.67	0.71	0.70	0.57	0.65	0.60	
Mozambique	ne																		
Namibia	ne																		
Niger	ne																		
Nigeria	1.27	0.99	0.96	0.91	1.26	1.15	1.01	1.00	0.94	0.96	0.89	1.00	1.10	1.35	1.50	1.78	1.58	1.50	1.26
Rwanda	na	na	na	ne	ne	na	ne												
São Tomé and Príncipe	na																		
Senegal	ne																		
Seychelles	ne																		
Sierra Leone	na	ne	ne	na															
Somalia	na																		
South Africa	1.71	1.80	2.18	2.06	1.69	1.73	1.68	1.50	1.51	1.69	1.42	1.45	1.31	1.20	1.28	1.19	1.32	1.16	1.27
South Sudan	na																		
Sudan	ne	ne	ne	ne	na	ne													
Tanzania	ne																		
Togo	ne	ne	na	ne	na	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne							
Tunisia	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne	1.14	0.69	0.71	0.95	1.00	0.82	0.84	0.95	1.00	0.91	0.83	0.74	0.71	0.86
Uganda	ne																		
Western Sahara	na	ne	na	na	na	na	na												
Zambia	ne																		
Zimbabwe	ne																		
Asia	0.68	0.76	0.71	0.72	0.74	0.69	0.70	0.73	0.72	0.69	0.68	0.74	0.72	0.76	0.79	0.78	0.79	0.83	0.79
Afghanistan	na	ne	ne	ne	na	na	na	ne	ne	ne	ne	ne							
Bangladesh	ne	0.46	0.41	0.42	0.48														
Bhutan	ne	na	ne	na	ne														
Brunei	ne																		
Burma	ne																		
Cambodia	na	ne	na	ne	na	ne	na	ne											
China	1.11	1.22	0.99	1.01	0.97	0.87	0.85	0.89	0.81	0.78	0.73	0.85	0.86	0.93	0.95	0.95	0.98	1.07	0.95
India	0.79	0.80	0.80	0.73	0.71	0.72	0.70	0.76	0.71	0.68	0.63	0.70	0.60	0.60	0.60	0.58	0.51	0.49	0.49
Indonesia	ne	ne	ne	ne	2.09	2.08	1.88	2.74	2.15	1.71	1.73	1.48	1.67	1.13	1.17	0.89	0.61	0.37	0.30
Japan	0.48	0.54	0.57	0.60	0.65	0.61	0.64	0.66	0.80	0.73	0.78	0.75	0.67	0.69	0.70	0.67	0.71	0.74	0.76
Kazakhstan	ne	2.74	ne	ne	2.29	1.27	0.61	0.60	0.86										

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Unassigned	0.59	0.60	0.88	0.46	0.72	1.16	1.44	1.32	1.30	1.07	0.32	0.26	0.29	0.59	0.70	0.52	0.43	0.43	0.39

na = not applicable; there are no articles assigned to the entity. ne = not eligible; there are fewer than the minimum 30 articles available to make a calculation.

EU = European Union.

^a Beginning in 2006, Serbia and Montenegro represented individual countries.^b Serbia and Montenegro represented a single country for data purposes from 1992 to 2006.**Note(s)**

Articles are classified by their year of publication and are assigned to a region, country, or economy on the basis of the institutional address(es) of the author(s) listed in the article. The specialization index (SI) is calculated as follows: $SI = (Fe/Te)/(Fw/Tw)$ where Fe is the fractional paper count of a given region, country, or economy's output in a given field (F), Te is the total (T) output for the entity, Fw is the total output of the world in the same field, and Tw is the total output across all fields at the world level.

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